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Pan Drieds at Rink to-morrow, 8. Great Hockey.

A reward will be paid for the return of two keys lost last week.

J. H. Fraser, of Wallaceburg, was a visitor to the city Saturday.

Harry Gill, of Ounry, was in the city calling on friends Saturday.

J. J. Imrie, of Romney, was a Maple City visitor on Saturday.

S. P. Sturgis, of Dresden, was in Chatham on business Saturday.

W. B. Carey, of Merlin, was in the city calling on friends Sunday.

Stanley Allen, of Detroit, spent Sunday with friends in this city.

Duncan Crawford and John McAllister were city visitors from Duart Saturday.

J. F. Cairns, of Saskatoon, N. W. T., is in the city visiting relatives on Water street.

Wm. Primeau, Wellington street, is reported to be recovering nicely from his recent illness.

Solos in Park street Methodist church yesterday were taken by Arthur Martin and Mr. Smith.

Payment & Goodall have secured the contract for the construction of a large dwelling in Highgate.

A piano, as good as new, is offered for sale at a bargain, as owner is leaving the city. Enquire at this office.

Mr. Daniel Jordan says that while he was down the river Sunday he saw a robin, two crows, and a sparrow. This is another of the many signs of spring.

Alfred Wrigley, Sr., is in Sarnia on business. It is understood that Mr. Wrigley will shortly take a position with the Queen City Oil Company in the Tunnel Town.

The Urban Store will be open all week to receive articles for the Rummage Sale. Those who cannot send, kindly get articles ready and they will be called for this week.

The funeral of the late John Longwell took place this morning from the family residence, Head street, to McVicar's cemetery at 10.30. The funeral was very largely attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kipp, of Rochester, N. Y., are in the city visiting Mr. Kipp's parents on Barthe street. Mr. Kipp, who was formerly a salesman in this city, is now travelling for a large gent's furnishing establishment of Rochester.

THE DEATH

Mr. J. T. O'Keefe to-day received the sad news of the death of his nephew, Alexander O'Keefe, eldest son of Dr. O'Keefe, of Mt. Clemens. The deceased was 23 years of age and previous to his recent illness was attending his second term at the Detroit Medical College. The cause of death was pneumonia.

The funeral will take place in Mt. Clemens on Wednesday.

BASEBALL MEETING

A meeting of baseball enthusiasts has been arranged for next Wednesday evening. The meeting will be held in the parlors of Hotel Rankin, and its purpose is to ascertain as to what can be done in the way of forming a western baseball league, for the coming season.

The towns which are likely to be incorporated in the league are, Chatham, Dutton, West Lorne and Ridgeway.

It is to be hoped that everyone interested will make an endeavor to be present at the meeting.

PASSED AWAY

The death occurred in Blenheim, on Saturday, of Mrs. Samson, relict of the late M. Samson. Five sons and two daughters are left to mourn her loss. She was 87 years of age.

The late Mrs. Samson was a true Christian woman, whose death will be sincerely regretted by the large circle of friends of this most estimable family.

The funeral took place this afternoon in Blenheim, to Evergreen Cemetery.

WAS FORMER CHATHAMITE

James Cleve, a former resident of this city, died suddenly in San Francisco on March 24th.

The deceased came to Canada in 1848 and resided in Chatham until 1880, when he left for Australia. He returned to this city in 1890 and stayed here for several months, removing to San Francisco in 1902. He married Eliza Holmes, sister of J. Holmes, Clerk of the Surrogate Court.

He had four children, of whom two survive. They are: Mrs. R. S. Humphrey, of Chatham, and Richard Cleve, of Frisco, who was in a lecturing business and for many years took an active interest in musical circles, being president in the Presbyterian church here. He was a well known contractor and builder, a member of the Town Council, and an assessor.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville Carpenter, of Buffalo, were in San Francisco only two weeks ago to-day, and the deceased was then in perfect health, and they were surprised to receive a telegram yesterday announcing his death.

No further particulars are to hand but it is expected that the remains will be brought here for interment. The announcement of Mr. Cleve's death will be received with regret by a large number of friends in this city, and his demise removes another worthy citizen, who for many years was closely identified with the early progress of our city.

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Rev. F. E. Malott Advocates Strongly Against the Habit of Swearing

A VERY STRONG SERMON

Victoria Ave. Church was filled to the doors last night with attentive listeners who followed closely Rev. F. E. Malott's sermon on "The Most Useless Sin." This was Mr. Malott's definition of the sin of profanity.

The text was taken from James 5, 12,—"Above all things, my brethren, swear not by heaven, nor by earth, nor by any other oath; but let your yea be yea, and your nay, nay; lest ye fall into condemnation."

Dr. Cowan, said the speaker, calls profanity "the meanest American vice." It is not confined to any race or age, continued the speaker, but for blood-sucking, vulgar, meaningless profanity, this side of the Atlantic takes the palm. So prevalent has this evil become that the press on sides of the line has taken up the question and the newspapers are denouncing profanity and deploring its prevalence, the popular books and magazines of the day are making it a popular by freely intermingling the conversation with the characters in the stories with the more or less vulgar profanity of the street. A united effort should be made by pulp and press to create a public sentiment that will not tolerate this evil.

Continuing the reverend gentleman called attention to the absolute prohibition of profanity and idle speech generally in the Word of God, and gave three seasons why it is prohibited.

1. It is a sin that strikes most directly at the honor of God and most directly assaults his authority. No man who treats the name of God with contempt in vulgar profanity will acknowledge the authority of God in matters of conduct generally.

2. It is a most useless sin. There is some show of excuse for certain but profanity is entirely unprofitable. It is the cheapest service the Devil gets from his followers. The man who swears does the Devil's dirty business of insulting the Almighty for nothing.

3. It is often associated with lying; the swearer, by bolstering his make his assertions more credible and forcible. But the very opposite is the case. Profanity weakens instead of strengthens a man's speech. Attention was called to the position of the swearer. He is under a five-fold ban.

Profanity is condemned by God, by the best society, by the law of the land, by the large business firms—who dismiss employees for its use, and by a man's own better nature. No man with a conscience can use his neighbor's name in vulgar profanity and maintain a clear conscience.

A strong appeal was made to all to cut out entirely all profanity and all idle by-words, and to make speech a means of glorifying God and elevating and edifying humanity.

The choir rendered excellent music, a quartette by Misses Jackson and Dyer and Messrs. Horstead and Bushell, and a duett by Miss Jackson and Mr. Horstead, being especially good.

THE MARKETS

The market on Saturday was about as large as usual. There was not a very big rush and there was plenty of produce to satisfy the demand. The following is the price list:

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter, per pound, 27c to 28c.
Cream, 30c quart.
Chickens, each, 35c to 65c.
Eggs, per dozen, 14c to 15c.
Geese, each, 80c to 90c.
Honey, strained, per lb., 10c.
Honey, rack, 15c.
Lard, per lb., 12 1-2c.
Maple syrup, 40c quart.
Maple sugar, 20c pound.

VEGETABLES.

Beets, per peck, 15c.
Beans, per quart, 6c.
Cabbage, each, 5c to 10c.
Carrots, per peck, 15c.
Cucumbers, in brine 40c hundred.
Horseradish, per bottle, 20c.
Honey, per quart, 5c.
Lettuce, per bunch, 5c.
Marjoram, per bunch, 5c.
Onions, peck, 25c; bag, \$1.
Onion sets, per quart, 15c.
Parsnips, per peck, 15c.
Potatoes, per bag, \$1.00.
Pop corn, dozen, 10c.
Radishes, winter, per doz., 10c.
Sage, per bunch, 5c.
Savory, per bunch, 5c.
Sauerkraut, per quart, 5c.
Salsify, per bunch, 5c.
Turnips, per peck, 15c.
Thyme, per bunch, 5c.
Tobacco, per bunch, 5c.
Apples, peck, 20c to 30c; bag, \$1.50.

FISH.

Mullet, per lb., 10c.
Pickarel, per pound, 12 1-2c.
Pike, per lb., 12 1-2c.
Salmon Trout, per lb., 12 1-2c.
White fish, winter caught, 12 1-2c. pound.

MEATS.

Dressed beef, qtr., 5 1-2c to 6 1-2c.
Fresh pork, quarter, 9c to 10c.
Head cheese, each, 13c.
Hogs, dressed, 8 1-4c.
Lamb, per lb., 9c to 10c.
Mutton, per lb., 6c to 7c.

THEY FAVOR CONCRETE

Some of the ratepayers interested have received correspondence from the Warren Blumhous Co., in which the company strongly intimate that it would be folly to use anything other than concrete as a foundation for the Joseph street pavement. The company state that they very much prefer concrete for the foundation.

The consensus of opinion among the ratepayers seems to be that concrete should be used. In fact it is generally admitted that concrete should be used for this purpose on all foundations for pavements in this city, as the peculiar nature of the soil in this district makes it absolutely necessary that a good sound foundation should be constructed.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.

Toronto, Mar. 26.—11 a. m.—South-easterly to southerly winds, milder; rain this evening and to-night. Tuesday, southwesterly to northwesterly winds, a few showers, but partly

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